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1. I READ TEXT OF REFTEL TO FONMIN PEIRANO FACIO AT 1910 HOURS LOCAL THIS EVENING (3AUGUST). ON FIRST POINT, HE SAID HE WOULD DISCUSS IT WITH PRESIDENT PACHECO BUT, OF COURSE, COULD NOT MAKE ANY PROMISES AS TO LATTER' REACTION.

2. ON SECOND POINT HE STATED HE DID NOT KNOW BUT WOULD CONSIDER IT. I POINTED OUT THAT INTERMEDIARIES HAD BEEN EMPLOYED IN OTHER KID'NAP CASES TO GOOD EFFECT.

3. PEIRANO ASKED MY OPINION INTERIOR MINISTER'S COMMUNIQUE AND I SAID I WONDERED HOW MESSAGE MIGHT BE INTERPRETED BY PUBLIC AND KIDNAPPERS. THERE SEEMED TO ME SOME POSSIBILITY THAT IT MIGHT BE INTERPRETED AS FINAL REPLY AND TERMINATION OF COMMUNICATION. PEIRANO SAID HE DOUBTED THAT AND ADDED THAT GOU NOW EXPECTS KIDNAPPED TO DELIVER A NEW NOTE, HARDER IN

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4. FINALLY PEIRANO PROMISED SPEAK WITH ME AGAIN TOMORROW RE POINTS RAISED REFTEL.
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